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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 SOUTHERN DISTRICT NEW YORK

RITCHIE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC,)	x
RITCHIE RISK-LINKED STRATEGIES)	
TRADING (IRELAND), LIMITED, RITCHIE)	
RISK-LINKED STRATEGIES TRADING)	
(IRELAND) II, LIMITED, WALKERS SPV)	
LIMITED, as trustee for Ritchie Risk-Linked)	Civil Action No. 07CV3494 (DLC) (DCF)
Life Strategies Trust I and Ritchie Life Strategies)	
Master Trust, and RITCHIE RISK-LINKED)	
STRATEGIES TRADING, LTD.,)	
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Plaintiffs,)	
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v.)	
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COVENTRY FIRST LLC, THE COVENTRY)	
GROUP, INC., MONTGOMERY CAPITAL, INC.,))	
LST I LLC, ALAN BUERGER, CONSTANCE)	
BUERGER, REID S. BUERGER, ANTONIO)	
MUNIZ, ALEX SELDIN, NEAL JACOBS,)	
EILEEN SHOVLIN, and JIM DODARO,)	
)	
Defendants.)	
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**MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE*
ADMISSION OF THOMAS P. WINDOM**

Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.3(c), undersigned counsel respectfully moves for
 the admission *pro hac vice* of the following attorney in the above-captioned matter:

Thomas P. Windom, Esquire
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This Motion is based on the accompanying Affidavit of George A. Borden and Certificates of Good Standing from the Virginia, District of Columbia and Illinois Bars, of which Mr. Windom is a member. A proposed Order is attached hereto.

Dated: June 18, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

By:


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**AFFIDAVIT OF GEORGE A. BORDEN IN SUPPORT OF MOTION
FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION OF THOMAS P. WINDOM**

I, GEORGE A. BORDEN, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of Williams & Connolly LLP, attorneys for Defendants in the above-captioned matter, and a member in good standing of the bar of this Court since February 22, 1991. I submit this affidavit in support of the Motion for *Pro Hac Vice*

Admission of Thomas P. Windom in the above-captioned matter pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.3(c).

2. I have known and worked with Mr. Windom since 2006. Mr. Windom is an attorney of the highest ethical and moral character, competence and experience, and I am confident that he will conduct himself accordingly before this Court.

3. In connection with this motion, I am submitting Certificates of Good Standing issued by the Virginia, District of Columbia and Illinois Bars, of which Mr. Windom is a member. I am aware of no pending disciplinary proceedings against Mr. Windom in any state or federal court.

4. For the foregoing reasons, I respectfully move the *pro hac vice* admission of Thomas P. Windom in the above-captioned matter. For the Court's convenience, a proposed order granting this motion is attached hereto.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed in Washington, D.C. on June 18, 2007.



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May 30, 2007

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

**THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THOMAS PATRICK WINDOM IS AN
 ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE VIRGINIA STATE BAR IN GOOD STANDING.
 MR. WINDOM WAS LICENSED TO PRACTICE LAW IN VIRGINIA ON
 OCTOBER 13, 2005, AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PASSING THE BAR
 EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE VIRGINIA BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS.**

SINCERELY,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Thomas A. Edmonds".

**THOMAS A. EDMONDS
 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND
 CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER**



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I, GARLAND PINKSTON, JR., Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, do hereby certify that

THOMAS P. WINDOM

was on the 8TH day of JANUARY, 2007

duly qualified and admitted as an attorney and counselor and entitled to practice before this Court and is, on the date indicated below, an active member in good standing of this Bar.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of this Court at the City of Washington, D.C., on June 5, 2007.

GARLAND PINKSTON, JR., CLERK

By: C.L. Jackson
Deputy Clerk



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Wednesday, June 06, 2007

In re: Thomas Patrick Windom
Admitted: 1/9/2007
Attorney No. 6291071

To Whom It May Concern:

The records of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Illinois and of this office indicate that the attorney named above was admitted to the practice of law in Illinois; is currently registered on the master roll of attorneys entitled to practice law in this state; and has never been disciplined; and is in good standing.

Very truly yours,
Jerome Larkin
Administrator

By:

Xoxanne Trener
Deputy Registrar

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[Proposed] ORDER ADMITTING COUNSEL PRO HAC VICE

This matter having been brought before the Court by motion pursuant to Local Civil Rule I.3(c) for the admission *pro hac vice* of Thomas P. Windom, Esquire, in the above-captioned matter, it is this _____ day of _____ 2007, hereby

ORDERED that the motion is GRANTED, and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT Thomas P. Windom shall be admitted *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter. Counsel shall remit the required \$25 fee to the Cashier's Office for this *pro hac vice* admission.

SO ORDERED:

United States District Judge